## IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, circuit court, hyderabad

## C.P. No. D- 228 of 2021

Zahid Hussain and others

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Petitioners

SSP Dadu & others

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VERSUS

Respondents

## Date of hearing:22.08.2022Date of decision:22.08.2022

None present for Petitioner Mr. Allah Bachayo Soomro, Addl.A.G.

## <u>O R D E R</u>

ADNAN-UL-KARIM MEMON, J-.

Through the instant petition, the petitioner

has prayed as under:-

- a. That, this Honourable court may very graciously be pleased to set aside the impugned Order dated 7.5.2021 passed by the learned IVth Additional Sessions Judge & Ex-Officio Justice of Peace, Dadu.
- b. To direct respondents No. 1 to 3 to provide legal protection to the petitioners and their family members against the sheer highhandedness of respondents No. 4 to 10.
- c. To direct the private respondents No. 4 to 10 to furnish a statement/undertaking before this Honourable Court that in the future they will not harass the petitioners and their family members in any form manifestation.

2. Case of the petitioners is that there was a dispute over landed property between petitioners and private respondents; therefore, they filed Civil Suit against them; that on 13.4.2021 at 6.30 p.m. private respondents being duly armed with weapons trespassed the house and issued threats of dire consequences; therefore, they applied under section 22-A & B Cr.P.C., before Ex-Officio Justice of Peace which was allowed and FIR No. 07 of 2021 was registered. It is further stated that private respondents also registered FIR No. 30 of 2020 which is pending before Judicial Magistrate Dadu and private respondents applied Section 145 Cr.P.C. before the same court; that private respondents are yet issuing threats, hence they have filed the instant petition.

3. Petitioner and his counsel are called absent without intimation; however, I have heard learned A.A.G. present in court on the subject issue, he submits that the official respondents shall act strictly under law.

4. Perusal of record reflects that there is admitted dispute over landed property and civil as well as criminal litigation between the parties is pending adjudication, before the competent court of law; therefore, the instant petition is disposed of with direction to the official respondents to act strictly under the law and they shall be neutral in the aforesaid matters, however, if any cognizable offense is committed, they shall take the legal course as provided under the law.

JUDGE

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